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In re Application of :
Lawrence D. Wong :
Application No. 10/802,991 :
Filed: March 16, 2004 :
Attorney Docket No. 10559-586003 :

ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed May 5, 2006, to revive the above-identified application.

The application became abandoned for failure to respond to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed June 1, 2004. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on February 17, 2005.

37 CFR 1.137(b)(3) requires a statement that the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional. Since the statement contained in the instant petition varies from the language required by 37 CFR 1.137(b)(3), the statement is being construed as the statement required by 37 CFR 1.137(b)(3) and petitioner must notify the Office if this is **not** a correct interpretation of the statement.

The petition satisfies the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that petitioner has supplied (1) the reply in the form of five (5) sheets of replacement drawings containing Figures 1-7 and a substitute specification; (2) the petition fee of \$1,500; and (3) an adequate statement of unintentional delay. Therefore, the petition is **GRANTED**.

The application file is being referred to the Office of Initial Patent Examination for further processing.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3226.


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